

What is claimed is:

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1. A material for wrapping an item so that the wrapped item can be displayed on a supporting surface, the material comprising:

at least one sheet of material having an upper surface,  
5 a lower surface and a first end;

a first bonding material on at least a portion of the upper surface; and

a second bonding material on at least a portion of the lower surface wherein the bonding material is adapted to releasably connect to the supporting surface.

2. The material of claim 1 wherein the bonding material on the upper and lower surfaces comprises an adhesive.

3. The material of claim 1 wherein the bonding material on the lower surface comprises a cohesive adapted to bondingly and releasably connect to a cohesive disposed on the supporting surface.

4. The material of claim 1 wherein the sheet of material has a first side, a second side, a first end, and a second end, with bonding material disposed on a portion of the upper surface near the second side and extending generally from the first  
5 end to the second end.

5. The material of claim 4 wherein the bonding material is disposed on a portion of the lower surface of the sheet of material generally between the first side and the second side and further between the first end and the second end.

6. The material of claim 1 further comprising a plurality of sheets of material formed into a pad of sheets of material wherein each of the sheets of material is releasably connected into the pad of sheets of material.

7. The material of claim 1 wherein the sheet of material is constructed from a material in the group of materials consisting of paper, cellophane, foil, organic polymer film, cloth, or burlap or combinations thereof.

8. The material of claim 1 wherein the sheet of material has a thickness in a range from about 1 mil to about 30 mils.

9. The material of claim 7 wherein the sheet of material is constructed of a polymer film.

/ 10. A method for wrapping an item, comprising:

providing a pad comprising a plurality of sheets of material having a top sheet of material with other sheets of material being disposed under the top sheet of material, each sheet

5 of material having a first side and a second side, a first end and  
a second end, an upper surface and a lower surface, each sheet of  
material having a bonding material on at least a portion of the  
upper and lower surfaces of the sheet of material;  
providing a floral grouping having an upper end and a  
10 stem end, the floral grouping comprising the item;  
providing a supporting surface;  
placing the floral grouping on the top sheet of material;  
wrapping the top sheet of material about the floral  
grouping and disconnecting the top sheet of material from the pad  
of sheets of material with a portion of the sheet of material  
overlapping other portions of the sheet of material and bonding the  
overlapping portions of the sheet of material by contacting the  
bonding material on the upper surface with adjacent overlapping  
portions of the sheet of material whereby the second side of the  
sheet of material has bonded to overlapping portions of the sheet  
of material and with the sheet of material substantially  
encompassing and surrounding a substantial portion of the stem end  
of the floral grouping and being held about the floral grouping by  
the bonding of the overlapping portions of the sheet of material,  
25 the sheet of material wrapped about the floral grouping having an  
opening extending through the lower end thereof and an opening  
extending through the upper end thereof with the stem end of the  
floral grouping extending through the opening in the lower end and  
the bloom end of the floral grouping being exposed near the opening  
30 in the upper end thereof;

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mounting the sheet of material, with the floral grouping encompassed generally therein, upon the supporting surface, a portion of the bonding material disposed on the lower surface of the sheet of material bondingly and releasably connecting to a portion of the supporting surface.

11. The method of claim 10 wherein the step of providing the pad of sheets of material is defined further as having each sheet of material with the bonding material on the upper and lower surfaces being bondingly connected to a portion of one or two adjacent sheets of material for cooperating to connect the sheets of material into the pad.

12. The method of claim 10 wherein the bonding material on each sheet of material bondingly and releasably connects each sheet of material to one or two other sheets of material whereby one of the sheets of material can be releasably disconnected from another sheet of material by pulling the sheets of material apart.

13. The method of claim 10 wherein the step of wrapping the top sheet of material about the floral grouping further comprises:

5 placing a portion of the top sheet of material over at least a portion of the floral grouping and rolling the top sheet of material and the floral grouping and wrapping the top sheet of material about the floral grouping, the bonding material on the top

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sheet of material being bondingly connected to a portion of the top sheet of material for securing the top sheet of material in a wrapped position about the floral grouping and the top sheet of material being removed from the pad of sheets of material as the top sheet of material is wrapped about the floral grouping.

14. The method of claim 10 wherein the step of providing a pad of sheets of material further comprises a bonding material comprising an adhesive disposed upon at least a portion of the upper and lower surfaces of each sheet of material.

15. The method of claim 10 wherein, in the step of providing a supporting surface, the supporting surface further comprises a wall.

16. The method of claim 10 wherein, in the step of providing a supporting surface, the supporting surface further comprises a mounting surface of a display assembly.

17. The method of claim 10 wherein the step of providing a pad of sheets of material further comprises a bonding material comprising a cohesive disposed upon at least a portion of the lower surface of each sheet of material.

18. The method of claim 17 wherein, in the step of providing a supporting surface, the supporting surface includes a

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cohesive disposed on at least a portion of the supporting surface,  
and wherein the step of mounting the sheet of material on the  
5 supporting surface further comprises a portion of the bonding  
material disposed on the lower surface of the sheet cohesively and  
releasably connecting to a portion of the cohesive disposed on the  
supporting surface.

19. The method of claim 18 wherein, in the step of  
providing a supporting surface, the supporting surface further  
comprises a wall.

20. The method of claim 18 wherein, in the step of  
providing a supporting surface, the supporting surface further  
comprises a mounting surface of a display assembly.

21. The method of claim 10 wherein, in the step of  
providing a pad of sheets of material, each sheet of material in  
the pad is constructed from a material in the group of materials  
consisting of paper, cellophane, foil, organic polymer film, cloth,  
5 or burlap or combinations thereof.

22. The method of claim 10 wherein, in the step of  
providing a pad of sheets of material, each sheet of material in  
the pad has a thickness in a range from about 1 mil to about 30  
mils.

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23. A method for wrapping an item, comprising:

providing a sheet of material having a first side, a second side, a first end, a second end, an upper surface and a lower surface, the sheet of material having a bonding material on at least a portion of the upper and lower surfaces thereof;

providing a floral grouping having an upper end and a stem end, the floral grouping comprising the item;

providing a supporting surface;

placing the floral grouping on the sheet of material;

wrapping the sheet of material about the floral grouping with a portion of the sheet of material overlapping other portions of the sheet of material and bonding the overlapping portions of the sheet of material by contacting the bonding material on the upper surface with adjacent overlapping portions of the sheet of material whereby the second side of the sheet of material has bonded to overlapping portions of the sheet of material and with the sheet of material substantially encompassing and surrounding a substantial portion of the stem end of the floral grouping and being held about the floral grouping by the bonding of the overlapping portions of the sheet of material, the sheet of material wrapped about the floral grouping having an opening extending through the lower end thereof and an opening extending through the upper end thereof with the stem end of the floral grouping extending through the opening in the lower end and the bloom end of the floral grouping being exposed near the opening in the upper end thereof;

mounting the sheet of material, with the floral grouping encompassed generally therein, upon the supporting surface, a portion of the bonding material disposed on the lower surface of the sheet of material bondingly and releasably connecting to a portion of the supporting surface.

24. The method of claim 23 wherein the step of wrapping the sheet of material about the floral grouping further comprises: placing a portion of the sheet of material over at least a portion of the floral grouping and rolling the sheet of material and the floral grouping and wrapping the sheet of material about the floral grouping, the bonding material on the sheet of material being bondingly connected to a portion of the sheet of material for securing the sheet of material in a wrapped position about the floral grouping.

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